

1 THE HONORABLE JOHN C. COUGHENOUR
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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

10 LEONARD ROLLINS, *et al.*,

11 Plaintiffs, CASE NO. C14-1414-JCC

12 v.

13 TRAYLOR BROS INC, *et al.*, MINUTE ORDER

14 Defendants.

15 The following Minute Order is made by direction of the Court, the Honorable John C.
16 Coughenour, United States District Judge:

17 This matter comes before the Court *sua sponte*. Defendants have filed a motion for a
18 protective order. (Dkt. No. 192.) Recently, this Court issued an order dealing with two discovery
19 motions. (Dkt. No. 196.) As the Court makes clear in the Order, discovery motions are
20 disfavored. (*Id.* at 12.) Therefore, the Court ORDERS the parties to resolve this discovery
21 dispute without the Court's interference. If it cannot be resolved, Defendants may renew their
22 motion on May 22, 2017. Plaintiffs' response will be due May 29, 2017. Defendants' reply, if
23 any, shall be filed no later than June 2, 2017. The Court directs the Clerk to TERMINATE
24 Defendants' motion for a protective order (Dkt. No. 192). Should Defendants renew the motion,
25 it shall be noted for June 2, 2017.

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1 DATED this 9th day of May 2017.

2 William M. McCool
3 Clerk of Court

4 /s/Paula McNabb
5 Deputy Clerk